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**THREE-DIMENSIONAL MODEL ANNOUNCEMENT  
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INSTALLATION OR ACTIVITY NAME			COUNTRY	
Rechitsa SS-20 Remote Site 3			UR	
UTM COORDINATES	GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES			
NA	52-08-54N 030-23-46E			
MAP REFERENCE				
		NEGATION DATE (If required)		
SCALE OF MODEL	APPROXIMATE SIZE	WEIGHT	MODEL CONTROL NO.	CLASSIFICATION
1" = 30'	40" x 3 1/2" x 4"	25 lb	Z-2655/80	SECRET/WNINTEL

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This model has been prepared in response to an NPIC Imagery Exploitation Group requirement. Detailed analysis and specifications were provided by the requester.

**DESCRIPTION**

1. (S/D) This model depicts an SS-20 mobile IRBM remote site in the western USSR. This is a scale model of Rechitsa SS-20 Remote Site 3. The two individually secured sections consist of a battalion-sized operations area which includes a launch unit and a support area.

2. (S/D) The model will be used to demonstrate the decentralized deployment pattern, an altered practice from the previously observed deployment pattern of the SS-20 missile system. The Soviets had been using central-base concept where all nine of the single-bay garages were collocated at one location.

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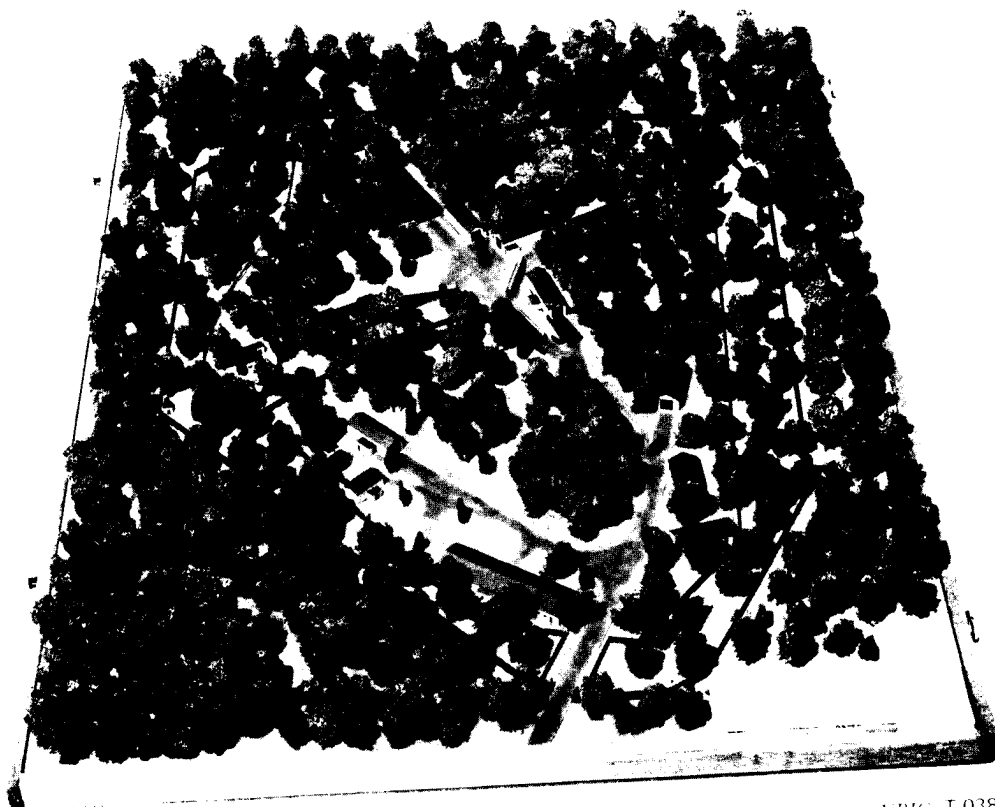
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